

ON the 23d of last Month, M. Mac-
 quilton, Bishop of Clermont, was re-
 ceived into the French Academy, in
 the Room of the Abbot de Lou-
 vois deceased. He made a very eloquent
 Speech, which was answered by the Abbot
 Fleury the King's Confessor, and Chancel-
 lour of the Academy. The Lady d'Aligre, Abbess
 of the Royal Abbey of St. Cyr, died on the
 3d past, in her 85th Year: She was Daughter
 and Grand Daughter of Messieurs d'Aligre Chancel-
 lours of France. On the 20th past the Marquis de
 Benac and a Gentleman quarrelling at Play, they
 went out privately and fought, and the Marquis
 was run through the Body: After having lain some
 Days in such a Condition that his Life was despaired
 of, he is now said to be in a fair Way of Reco-
 very: During his Illness he could not by any Means
 be prevailed upon to discover who the Gentleman
 is that wounded him. The Duke of Berwick has
 been lately at Bayonne, and at Pau, and given Or-
 der for fortifying St. Jean Pied de Port; and after
 having viewed some other Places likewise in those
 Parts of the Country, he is to return to Bourdeaux;
 and is then to go to view the Frontiers of Roussi-
 lion. Tho' the Royal Bank is authorized to estab-
 lish Offices in the several great Towns of the
 Kingdom; yet the City of Lyons, upon the Re-
 presentation of the Merchants and Bankers there,
 is exempted from all Subjection to or Concern
 with that Bank; so that the Exchange of that City,
 which is a very considerable and beneficial Ar-
 ticle of Commerce, is left perfectly free. M.
 Pourchot, Syndick of the University of Paris,
 having observed that Prince Eugene stands entered
 in the Registers as Master of Arts of the said Uni-
 versity, has sent his Highness a Copy of the De-
 claration published by the University on Occasion
 of their Appealing from the Pope's Constitution
Unigenitus. The Prince de Cellamare is gone on
 from Blois for Spain, being still accompanied by
 M. Delebois Gentleman of the King's Bedcham-
 ber till he arrives on the Frontier. Letters Patents
 in the King's Name have been published, by
 which his Majesty confirms the Settlements made
 by his Great Grandfather on the House of Saint
 Cyr. The Tenour of those Letters Patents is as
 follows.

LEWIS by the Grace of God King of France
 and Navarre. Among the several Establish-
 ments which the deceased King our Great Grand-
 father, of glorious Memory, made in the Course
 of his Reign, for the Benefit and Ornament of the
 Kingdom, one of the most valuable of them for
 the Advantage accruing from it to the State and to
 Religion, was the Foundation of the House and
 Community of St. Lewis at St. Cyr lez-Verfailles,
 for the Instruction and Education gratis of two
 Hundred and Fifty Young Gentlewomen, from
 seven Years of Age to Twenty, and particularly of
 such whose Fathers after having consumed Part of
 their Estates in our Service are not able to give
 their Daughters Education suitable to their Birth;
 which Foundation consists at present of Eighty
 Nuns, and two Hundred and Fifty Gentlewomen,
 the Nomination of which is referred to us and
 our Successors. Our said late Lord and Great
 Grandfather did in 1686 first settle upon the said
 Community the House and other Buildings which
 he had caused to be erected at St. Cyr, together
 with the Lands, Lordship and Dependencies of St.
 Cyr, and fifty Thousand Livres a Year to be paid
 out of the Royal Revenues arising within the
 Generality of Paris; and the said fifty Thousand
 Livres a Year, not being sufficient for maintaining
 such a numerous Community, the said late King
 did in 1693 suppress the Title of Abbot of St.
 Denys, (after having obtained Bulls for that pur-

pose from Pope Innocent XII) and gave all the Re-
 venues of that Abbey to the said House of St.
 Lewis. That Donation was confirmed in 1696,
 and the Eighty Nuns by a Brief from the said Pope
 Innocent, were obliged by a solemn Vow to con-
 secrate their whole Lives to the Education of two
 Hundred and Fifty Maidens of noble Extraction.
 During which Time, and since, Experience has
 shewn the Usefulness of this Foundation, as well
 by the effectual Relief which many noble Families
 in all the Provinces of our Kingdom receive by it,
 as by the good Examples spread through the Pro-
 vinces by the Gentlewomen bred in that House,
 where having learnt to keep up the Honour of their
 Birth and of their Sex by solid Virtue, they have
 very much contributed to the Happiness of Fam-
 ilies into which they have married, or to the Edi-
 fication of those Convents into which they have
 entered as professed Nuns. The said late King did
 likewise settle, that such of the said young Gentle-
 women as shall take on them the Religious Habit,
 shall be preferred to all other Persons in the Nomina-
 tion of Abbesses to the Abbesses of Royal Foundation
 throughout the Kingdom. The said late King
 thought fit likewise, to augment and increase the
 Revenue of the House of St. Cyr; the rather be-
 cause that House and Community cannot receive
 any Donations or Legacies of private Persons, being
 expressly forbidden by one of the Articles of
 Foundation to accept for the future any Grant,
 Donations or Legacy of what nature soever, but
 from the Kings or Queens of France, except only
 from Dame de Maintenon whom the said late King
 permitted to make such Donations to the said
 House as she should think fit, in Consideration of
 the Pains she took to form that Community: And
 therefore in March 1698 our said late Lord and
 Great Grandfather added to the Revenues of the
 said House thirty thousand Livres yearly for ever;
 and in July 1698 sixty thousand Livres more year-
 ly: At the same time he ordered, that out of the
 said Revenues three thousand Livres should be
 paid to each Gentlewoman on her leaving the
 House at 20 Years of Age, as some Provision,
 either towards her marrying, or for her taking
 on her the religious Habit, or towards her
 subsisting herself among her Relations; which
 Gratification or Present he further ordered in 1712,
 should be given to such of the Gentlewomen, who
 by Reason of Indisposition that might befall them
 after their Entrance into the said House, should
 be obliged to leave it before they attained the
 Age of 20 Years. By an Arrêt of Council in 1713,
 the said late King granted to the said House,
 Wood for firing, to be cut annually in the Woods
 of Chevreuse or in those belonging to the Abbey
 of St. Denys. He also granted to the said Com-
 munity a Seal of Arms; and Permission to give
 their Servants our Liveries and those of the Kings
 our Successors. He did also by Letters Patents,
 in Consideration of the continual Application of
 Dame de Maintenon to the settling of the said
 House, expressly grant to her, that during her Life
 she should have and enjoy the Apartment which he
 the said late King built for her to lodge in, or any
 other that she should chuse; that she, and all her
 Retinue and Servants, should be lodged dieted and
 maintained at the Expence of the Foundation; and
 that she should enjoy in the said Community all
 the Preeminences, Honours, Authority, and Direc-
 tion, properly belonging to a Founder. Now we
 being willing, to contribute all that is in our Power
 to the maintaining of a Foundation so beneficial to
 our State, to perpetuate this illustrious Monument
 of the Piety and Magnificence of the late King our
 Great Grandfather, to shew the Noblesse (i. e. No-
 bility and Gentry) of our Kingdom the sincere De-
 sire we have to promote whatever is for their Ad-
 vantage, and to give to the holy Maidens who
 compose the said Community, a publick Testimony
 of the Satisfaction we take in the daily Progress and

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Success of that Foundation, for which the late King expressed a particular Affection in the Close of his Life; do by the Advice of our most dear and most beloved Uncle the Duke of Orleans Regent &c. and of our special Grace, full Power and Royal Authority, approve and confirm the said Establishment and Foundation of the House and Community of St. Lewis at St. Cyr, with all the Donations, Grants, Rights, Privileges, &c. which they have and do enjoy.

Registered at Paris in Parliament the 27th of January, 1719.

London, February 27.

Yesterday South-Sea Stock was 118 1 half, to 118 1 8th. Bank 157 1 gr. to 157. India 212 1 half, to 211 1 half.

The Masters or Wardens of London-Bridge give Notice, That the Arch or Lark of the said Bridge, commonly called St. Mary Lock (through which Hays, Lighters, and other Vessels, usually pass) will, on Saturday the 28th of March, 1719, be Broken and Stripped up, for the necessary Repairs of the said Lock: Whereof all Persons are to take Notice, that they may avoid the said Arch or Lock, till the same shall be again laid open.

The South-Sea Company will expose to Sale together with their other Goods appointed to be sold at the South-Sea-House on Wednesday next the 4th of March, 1719. Bags of Snuff from the House by several Ships; the Bills of Allotment whereof will be ready to be delivered to the Buyers on Monday the 2d of March, and the respective Lists to be sent at the Company's Warehouse at Galley-Key on Monday and Tuesday preceding the Sale.

The Ninth Day.

For the Benefit of the Author.

By His Majesty's Company of Comedians.

At the Theatre-Royal in Drury-Lane, To-morrow, being Saturday, the 28th of February, will be presented a New Comedy, called, *Chin-Chin*. To which (at the particular Desire of several Persons of Quality) will be added a new Dramatic Entertainment of Dancing, compos'd by Mr. Thurmond, call'd, *The Dumb Force*. *Geronte* Mr. Birkhead, *Oskare* Mr. Torham, *Scaramouch* Mr. Thurmond, *Harquin* Mr. Shaw, *Punch* Mr. Wade, *Angelique* Mrs. Santow, *Colombine* Mrs. Ricknell, *Scaramouch* Woman Miss Smith, *Harquin* Woman Mrs. Tenoe.

For the Benefit of Mrs. Robinson, late Mrs. Turner, who never sung but once before in publick.

At the King's Theatre in the Hay-Market, To-morrow, being Saturday, the 28th of February, will be performed a Concert of Musick, divided into three Parts, the second Part entirely new, compos'd by Signor Attilio Ariotti purposely on this Occasion. To begin at 7 a Clock.

Never Acted before.

By the Company of Comedians.

At the Theatre in Little-Lincoln's-Inn-Fields, To-morrow, being Saturday, the 28th of February, will be presented a new Comedy, call'd, *It is well if it takes*.

I Jos. Taylor, Haberdasher and Glover in Ludgate-street, having been for a long time past in a declining State of Health, am resolv'd to leave off my Trade, and desire all Persons that are indebted to me to take Notice of the time, by paying to my Men what they owe when demanded, which will prevent Trouble and Charge. My Creditors are desired to take Notice like-wise, and that they state their Accounts with me in Order to be paid. N. B. The House and Shop is to be Let, and the Goods sold at reasonable Rates, either Wholesale or Retail.

Any one in Town or Country, or any Publick Office, wanting a Clerk that writes Corred English, a very good Hand, and well versed in Arithmetick. Enquire at Hamlin's Coffee-house, Sweeting's Alley, Cornhill.

To be Sold, together or single.

A pair of young leasoned Stone Coach Horses, and a Gelding. Enquire before Eleven in the Forenoon (they being out after that Time) at Mrs. Sutton's at the Flow in Hog-lane, near Soho-square.

The late Mr. Motteux's Collection of Pictures that remained in his own House, will be exposed to Sale at his Auction-Room under the Little-Piazza in Covent-Garden, this Day the 27th Instant. They may be viewed till the Time of Sale, after which the Prints and Drawings will be drawn. Catalogues of both may be had at Mr. Cooper's in Half-Moon Street, Mrs. Motteux's in Leaden-Hall-Street, and at the Place of Sale.

A Catalogue of the most valuable English Books, consisting of the best Modern Divinity, History, Miscellanies, Novels, Poetry, Plays, Travels, Voyages, Mathematicks, Romances, &c. Newly bound, and of the very best Editions, which will be sold by Auction, at North's Coffee-house in King-Street, near Guildhall, this Day, the 27th Instant, beginning every Evening at 5 a Clock, and continue daily till all are sold, by Thomas Bickerton, Bookseller, at the Rose and Crown in Little Britain, where Catalogues may be had gratis; also of Mr. Walpole against the Royal-Exchange in Cornhill, Mr. Wood against St Dunstan's Church in Fleet-Street, Mr. Lowfield next Child's Coffee-house in St. Paul's Church-yard, Bookellers, and at the Place of Sale.

The Stock of Goods of Overall and Bulkley, Mirrors, and late Copernicus, at the Indian Queen in Ludgate-Street, is removed up one pair of Stairs, at the Golden Lion and Sword over-against Young-Mr. C's Coffee-house at Charing-Cross, where all Sorts of Memory Goods will be sold near Pennyworths, the Partnership between the said Copernicus being dissolved, and the Indian Queen already Let. And all Persons that are indebted to the said Overall and Bulkley are required to make their Payments at the Golden-Lion aforesaid; and all Persons that have any Demands from them, are also required to come thither to receive Satisfaction. N. B. All the Goods are to be disposed off by Lady-Day next.

For SALE by the CANDLE.

This Day, the 27th Instant, at Lloyd's Coffee-house in Lombard-Street, at 3 a-Clock in the Afternoon, (only 1 Cask of Wine in a Lot) viz. 12 Butts of new Rota Tent Wine; in a Warehouse up two pair of Stairs, in the Gateway of Fresh Wharf, near London-Bridge. 6 Pipes of new Red Barrabar, and 3 ditto of new White Carcavalla Lisbon Wines; in a Vault in the New Gateway of Wiggans-Key, between Billingsgate and the Custom-House. 10 Butts of new Sweet Malaga Wine; in a Vault under Mr. Merphye's, Merchant, against Rood-lane, in Fenchurch-Street. Also 25 Pipes of old Med Oporto Wines, fine and fit for Draught; in a Cellar in Lawrence-Pomeroys-Lane. All to be seen and call'd all Day (as above) till the Time of Sale. To be sold by Tho. Hatton and Wm. Gibson, Brokers.

A Catalogue of the Library of an eminently learned Divine lately deceas'd, being a curious Collection of Books in Divinity, History, Mathematicks, Voyages, Travels, &c. among which are almost all the Greek and Latin Fathers, of the best Editions, Lexicographers Greek and Latin Poets and Historians; also several of the Classics in modern Editions, of the Paris Editions, and many of the Classics printed by old Elsevir; which will be sold at very reasonable Rates, the Price to be set on the first Leaf of each Book, this Day, the 27th Instant, at 8 in the Morning. By Fletcher Giles, over-against Gray's Inn in Holbourn, where any Person may have ready Money for any Library or Parcel of Books. Catalogues are distributed gratis by Mr. Linott between the Temple-Gates, Mr. Strahan against the Royal Exchange, Mr. Stockes at the Mews at Charing-Cross, Mr. Clemens in St. Paul's Church-yard, and at the Place of Sale.

A Course of Mechanical, Hydrostatical, Pneumatical, and Optical Experiments, by Ben. Worner, M. A. and Tho. Watts, at the Accompany's Office for qualifying young Gentlemen for Officers, in Lime-Tower-Street, will begin on Wednesday next, being the 4th of March, at 5 in the Evening. N. B. This Course will contain not only all that is usual, but likewise some Experiments which are entirely New, and that the Apparatus itself is new and complete, and every thing contriv'd after the latest Improvements. Catalogues may be had, and Subscriptions taken in at the Place of Performing, at Mr. Inno's, Bookseller, near St. Paul's Church, at Mr. Clerk's, Stationer, in Birch Lane, and at Mr. Ship-ton's Coffee-house near the Exchange.

For SALE by the CANDLE.

At the Marine Coffee-house in Birch-lane, on Tuesday the 3d of March, at Three a Clock, all the Jam-bag, Bengal, and Dragon's Blood Canes (some having been Kill) lately imported from India, by the Ships *Eller* and *Cardigan*. The said Canes are to be seen at Mr. Peter Hambly's Warehouse, Coalhouse-lane, Thames-lane, from To-morrow till the Time of Sale. J. Gutterland.

To be Sold by AUCTION.

On Tuesday the 3d, and Wednesday the 4th, of March, the late Mr. John Griffith's Pictures, of his own Painting; to which is added, a Parcel of Italian, Flemish, and Dutch Pictures, brought lately over by Mr. Robert Griffith his Son, from Holland. To be viewed this Day, To-morrow, and Monday, before the Sale, at the Three Choirs, the Corner of the Little-Piazza, Covent-Garden; where an Affidavit shall be to assure the Publick of the fair Intention and Performance by Robert Griffith. Catalogues to be had at his House at Mill-Bank, and at the Place of Sale. W. Wilson, Manager, promises to the Publick all Satisfaction in Reason that can be given or required.

This Day is publish'd the 2d Edition of.

The LEEK. A Poem on St. David's Day, being the Birth Day of her Royal Highness the Princess of Wales. Printed for W. Minchcliffe at Dryden's Head under the Royal-Exchange, and J. Roberts in Warwick-lane. Price 1 s. Next Week will be ready to be delivered to the Subscribers.

Lucan's Pharsalia, in Ten Books, Translated into English Verse, by Nicholas Rowe, Esq. late Servant to His Majesty. With a Preface, giving some Account of Lucan and his Works, and of Mr. Rowe. By James Wellsted, M. D. Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians, London. Printed for Jacob Tonson at Shakespeare's Head against Catherine-Street in the Strand.

Just Published.

Four Sermons on several Subjects, viz. I. The Wickedness of aspersing Princes and their Administration. II. The Danger and Mischief of Popery. III. The Iniquity of Profaning the Name of the Church. IV. The great Sin of Murthering after Deliverances. The three first, preached before the Judges of Assize, and the fourth, before the House of Peers. By the Right Reverend Father in God Edmund, Lord Bishop of Lincoln. The 2d Edition, with a Preface. Printed for A. Churchill, and sold by James Roberts in Warwick-lane.

Just Published.

An Answer to the Lord Bishop of Bangor's late Book, entitled, *The Common Rights of Subjects defend-ed*. By Tho. Sherlock, D. D. Dean of Chichester, and Master of the Temple. Printed for John Pemberton at the Buck and Sun over-against St Dunstan's Church in Fleet-Street, and sold by J. Bettenham at the Crown in Paternoster-row. Price 1 s.

Just Published.

A Letter from the Facetious Dr. Andrew Tripe at Bath, to his loving Brother the profound Gredhamite; shewing, That the Scribendi Cacochæia is a Dissemper arising from a Redundancy of Sileuous Bile, and not to be eradicated but by a Diurnal Course of Oils and Vomits, with an Appendix concerning the Application of Socrates's Clyster, and the Use of clean Linnen in Contumacy. Printed for J. Morpheus near Stationers-Hall. Price 2d.

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